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#### LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

Cash Austin spent yesterday in Kearney on business.

Mrs. Fred Fredrickson and children left this week for a visit at western points.

Mrs. Walter Crook sprained her right wrist last evening while cranking her automobile.

Mrs. Bindley, of Kearney, is spending a few days with her sister Mrs. J. Fitzpatrick.

F. W. Herminghausen has caught the automobile fever and invented in a new car yesterday.

Mrs. Arthur Hartwig and children are visiting her mother, Mrs. B. L. Lambert, having arrived last night.

Mrs. Ed Fisher, daughters Beatrice and Miss Celia Quirk, arrived from Green River last evening to visit relatives.

The ladies of the Methodist aid society will hold an exchange at Howe & Maloney's Saturday morning August 19th.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Empe, of Kearney, will arrive tomorrow and remain a week as the guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Edwards.

For several weeks past a "Peeping Tom" has been going around on nightly rambles and is said to be very daring in his work.

Chas. Johnson, of the Johnson Cash Store, and his wife have returned from a three weeks' visit in the central part of the state.

Seth P. Mobley, at one time a resident of North Platte, died at Manila, Philippine Islands, July 10th from a stroke of paralysis.

Fred B. Hartman, who was married at Boston a few days ago to a young lady of that city, will arrive with his bride this afternoon.

Seventy-five members of the Presbyterian Sunday school, accompanied by about two dozen adults, held an enjoyable picnic at the Dick grove yesterday.

Senator and Mrs. W. V. Hoagland entertained a number of friends at supper on the lawn Wednesday evening in favor of their house guests, Mr. and Mrs. Drinn.

As the Wild West show begins promptly at 2:00 tomorrow afternoon, the Chamber of Commerce committee requests the merchants to close at 1:30.

All persons are warned against hunting or trespassing on my land.

J. K. CROW.

Weather Forecast: Fair tonight and Saturday, not much change in temperature. Maximum temperature yesterday 88; one year ago 68. Minimum temperature this morning 63; one year ago 50.

Mrs. Cyrus Stebbins will entertain the members of the W. C. T. U. Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. All members are requested to be present as an election of officers will be held.

#### Road and Shop Notes and Personal Mention.

Two new steel cars for the Oregon Short Line went thru yesterday morning.

U. P. Detective Vizzard, of Omaha, transacted business in the local offices Wednesday.

Albert LeDoyt has returned from Paxton, and resumed work on the U. P. as brakeman.

L. D. McMaisters, of Omaha spent several days in town on business for the Union Pacific.

Gus Anderson will leave Monday for Portland to join Mrs. Anderson, who has spent the past month there.

John M. Sullivan, late of Milford, Utah, recently accepted a position there as master mechanic for the San Pedro road.

Chief engineers G. W. Kittridge, of the New York Central railroad, had his private car attached to No. 5 Monday enroute to Yellowstone park with his family for an outing.

General Foreman E. W. Mann has taken a ninety day lay off. During his absence Mr. Butler, formerly master mechanic at Kansas City, will fulfill the duties of the office.

Sidney Conklin has resigned his position as night clerk at the Union Pacific hotel and will leave tomorrow for Denver. H. B. Taylor, of Omaha, will take the place which he vacates.

George Rendell, formerly of this city has given up the insurance business in which he was recently engaged and taken a position as traveling salesman in Iowa for the Cudahy Packing Co.

Conductor Dribus, running between Grand Island and this city, was married at Grand Island yesterday morning to Miss Freda Ewoldt of that city. Mr. Dreibus is a half brother of Miss Ora Hall, of this city and the latter attended the wedding.

George Nichols, the efficient manager of the Pacific hotel who has spent the past six months in this city will leave Tuesday for Chicago to accept a lucrative position. During his stay in town Mr. Nichols made many friends who will regret his departure.

A representative of the Union Pacific visited this terminal and made investigation of the working force, the object being to see if it would be possible to reduce the working force without injuring the service. At Cheyenne a number of employees have been "picked off", including a set of three dispatchers.

The signal maintainer at Lexington was struck and killed Wednesday afternoon by train No. 19. The man was sitting on the speeder apparently asleep and was not noticed in time to bring the train to a stop. Engineer Wood White and Fireman Westfall were at Lexington yesterday as witnesses at the coroner's inquest.

#### Notice to the Public.

Because of the serious loss caused by short weights of cars, bad preparation of coal, poor accounts and the larger investment necessary by reason of credit business, we find it necessary, in order to obtain a fair and reasonable profit, that we must either increase the price of coal or else get payment on sale.

It is the fairest way to keep the price as low as possible, and not ask thrifty people to pay the bills of another.

Therefore on and after, Aug. 21st, we will sell coal for cash only, without discrimination, and treat everyone alike, believing that this course of action will meet the approval of all thinking people.

W. W. BIRGE,

G. T. FIELD,

THE C. F. IDINGS CO.,

North Platte, Aug. 18th, 1911.

#### Attention Hay Men.

We will save your money on Bale Ties. See us.

Wm. Bischoff, of Nebraska City, is a visitor in town. In 1897 he lived on a ranch eight miles south of O'Fallon.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Cohn, of St. Louis, are visiting old time friends in town. Mr. Cohn conducted the Star Clothing house in the early days, leaving here twenty-nine years ago.

Yesterday afternoon a number of ladies tendered Mrs. Harry Walrath a surprise party. It being her birth anniversary she received several pretty remembrances. A delightful lunch was served.

Arrangements for a train to the show grounds tomorrow could not be made. However, an automobile stand, with a man in charge, will be established at the show grounds, where cars can be left during the show. The show grounds can be reached on both Fifth and Sixth streets, as those streets will be opened through to the grounds.

The case of the state of Nebraska vs. Louis Hutchins was tried in Judge Grant's court yesterday. Hutchins was charged with assault and pointing a gun at his father-in-law, Chas. Hartman who lives on an adjoining farm with intent to shoot him. He entered a plea of not guilty and the case set for Aug. 21st, the court taking the defendant's recognizance in the sum of \$200.

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All seats protected from sun and rain by immense waterproof canvas canopy. Grand stand chairs (including admission) \$1.00. Children under 9 years, half-price. On sale day of exhibition at Clinton's Jewelry Store, 511 Dewey Street.

Note—Do not fail to read the latest and most exciting book ever written "Thrilling Lives of Buffalo Bill and Pawnee Bill," by Frank Winch. Price \$1. On sale at the Show Grounds or may be ordered at all book stores.

#### Accused of Stealing.

E. E. Chamberlain, of Clinton, Mo., boldly accuses Bucklen's Arnica Salve of stealing—the sting from burns or scalds—the pain from sores of all kinds the distress from boils or piles. "It robs cuts, corns, bruises, sprains and injuries of pain," he says, "as a healing remedy its equal don't exist." Only 25c at Stone Drug Co.

#### A Bride and Her Dowry.

The first colonial mint was established in 1612, but it worked only in brass. Forty years later Massachusetts entered upon the business of coining money.

The Pine Tree shilling is not only a part of the history, but of the romance of the colonies as well. The officers of the mint, or perhaps it would be better to say the mill, from which it was issued were John Hull and Robert Saunderson. They coined for the colony, but exacted a toll for their work, just as the man who ground grain for his neighbors was wont to do. Their profits were said to be enormous, and more than once it was suggested that a new arrangement should be made. They were satisfied, however, to keep at it in the old way.

After John Hull's daughter had been married to Samuel Sewell the old mint master invited all the wedding guests into one of the rooms of his house, where he instructed his daughter to get on to an improvised platform at the end of a pair of steelyards. In a tub at the other side the old man poured blue tree shillings until the scales balanced. "There, Sam," he said, "take her and her dowry. It's not every bride that's worth her weight in silver."—Philadelphia Telegraph.

#### Soft Capped Projectiles.

Many persons know that certain armor piercing shells have soft metal caps on the point, with the result of greater effectiveness over those not so provided, but the way in which the cap acts is not generally well understood. A needle may be driven into a board with a hammer when it is thrust through a cork, whereas it would break off unsupported. Many have thought that the soft cap supports the hard point of the projectile in the same way. A British authority who has given much study to the mutual action of the projectile and armor states that a shell frequently fails because of the fact that a very small piece of the point is forced back into the mass, thus splitting it. A larger piece is then similarly forced back, and so on. The main advantage of the soft cap, in the opinion of this authority, is to prevent such splitting.—Harper's Weekly.

#### THE First National Bank.

of North Platte, Nebraska.

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M. KEITH NEVILLE, Vice-President,  
F. L. MOONEY, Cashier,  
ARTHUR McNAMARA,  
J. J. HALLIGAN.

#### Some Good Real Estate Deals.

A. Wickstrom, superintendent of the North Platte Land and Water Co., sold one eighty acre farm Monday to Henry Haskins and one eighty to Walter Wilson on the same date. Both the parties have been living on the farms for some time past and they decided to make them their permanent homes. They are located near the Platte Valley school house. On Wednesday Mr. Wickstrom closed a deal with Jim White whereby Jim becomes the owner of the eighty just south of his present farm. Mr. Wickstrom is one of our progressive boosters and believes in getting good settlers who will make this the best part of Nebraska. So far this week he has closed deals aggregating \$16,000.—Hershey Times.

#### Card of Thanks.

We wish to express our sincere thank to the many kind friends and neighbors who assisted us in the loss of our dear husband and father, also for the many beautiful floral tributes from lodges and friends.

MRS. GEO. LANNIN AND FAMILY.

Miss Moore, of Brady, came up today to visit her brother, Jno. Moore.

Medames George Stiff and Phil Haspel of Gothenburg arrived to day to visit Mrs. Guy Cover for several days.

#### Seemed to Give Him a New Stomach.

"I suffered intensely after eating and no medicine or treatment I tried seemed to do any good," writes H. M. Youngmeters, Editor of The Sun, Lake View, Ohio. "The first few doses of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets gave me surprising relief and the second bottle seemed to give me a new stomach and perfectly good health." For sale by all dealers.

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6.	Coughs, Colds, Bronchitis.	25
7.	Toothache, Faceache, Neuralgia.	25
8.	Headache, Sick Headache, Vertigo.	25
9.	Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Weak Stomach.	25
10.	Croup, Hoarse Cough, Laryngitis.	25
11.	Salt Rheum, Eruptions, Erysipelas.	25
12.	Rheumatism, or Rheumatic Pains.	25
13.	Fever and Ague, Malaria.	25
14.	Piles, Blind or Bleeding, External, Internal.	25
15.	Ophthalmia, Weak or Inflamed Eyes.	25
16.	Cataract, Influenza, Collin Head.	25
17.	Whooping Cough, Spasmodic Cough.	25
18.	Asthma, Oppressed, Difficult Breathing.	25
19.	Kidney Disease, Gravel, Calculi.	25
20.	Nervous Debility, Vital Weakness.	25
21.	Sore Mouth, Fever Sores or Canker.	25
22.	Urinary Incontinence, Wetting Bed.	25
23.	Acute Throat, Quinsy and Diphtheria.	25
24.	Stomach Congestion, Headaches.	25
25.	Chills, Ray Fever and Summer Colic.	25

A small bottle of Pleasant Pellets, fits the rest of the family, cost by druggists, or sent on receipt of price.